

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

FEBRUARY 27, 1867.

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the naval service for the year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appro-
4 priated; to be paid out of any money in the treasury not
5 otherwise appropriated, for the year ending the thirtieth of
6 June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight:

7 For pay of commission, warrant, and petty officers and
8 seamen, ten millions eight hundred and twenty-six thousand
9 two hundred and eighty dollars.

10 BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.

11 For contingent expenses that may accrue for the follow-
12 ing purposes, viz: For freight and transportation; for print-
13 ing, advertising, and stationery; for books, models, and
14 drawings; for the purchase and repair of fire-engines; for
15 machinery of every description, and patent-right to use the

16 same; for purchase and maintenance of oxen and horses, and
 17 driving teams; for carts, timber-wheels, and workmen's tools;
 18 for telegrams and postage of letters on public service; for fur-
 19 niture for government offices and houses; for coals and other
 20 fuel; for candles, oil, and gas; for cleaning and clearing up
 21 yards; for flags, awnings, and packing-boxes; for pay of
 22 watchmen; for incidental labor at navy yards not applicable
 23 to any other appropriation; for rent of landings; for tolls and
 24 ferriages; for water tax; and for rent of stores, one mil-
 25 lion and sixty-seven thousand dollars.

26 NAVY YARD AT PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

27 For completing reservoirs and gutters, two thousand five
 28 hundred dollars.

29 For repairs of all kinds, sixty-four thousand five hundred
 30 dollars.

31 NAVY YARD AT BOSTON.

32 For repairs of all kinds, one hundred and twenty-seven
 33 thousand dollars.

34 NAVY YARD AT NEW YORK.

35 For repairs of all kinds, one hundred and sixty-three
 36 thousand six hundred dollars.

37 NAVY YARD AT PHILADELPHIA.

38 For repairs of all kinds, fifty-one thousand and sixteen
 39 dollars.

40 NAVY YARD AT WASHINGTON.

41 For repairs of all kinds, eighty thousand dollars. And
42 the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized and directed
43 to receive and accept a deed of gift, when offered by the
44 State of Connecticut, of a tract of land situated on the
45 Thames river, near New London, Connecticut, with a water
46 front of not less than one mile, to be held by the United
47 States for naval purposes.

48 NAVY YARD AT PENSACOLA.

49 For repairs of all kinds, eighty thousand four hundred
50 and sixty dollars.

51 NAVY YARD AT MARE ISLAND.

52 For gas-house, four thousand and seven dollars.

53 For cisterns for building number forty-one and officers'
54 houses, seven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

55 For repairs of all kinds, sixty thousand dollars.

56 NAVAL STATION AT SACKETT'S HARBOR.

57 For repairs and general care of public property, two
58 thousand dollars.

59 NAVAL STATION AT MOUND CITY, ILLINOIS.

60 For repairs and general care of public property, ten thou
61 sand dollars.

62 NAVAL ASYLUM AT PHILADELPHIA.

63 For furniture and repairs of same, one thousand dollars.

64 For the purchase of books, under the direction of the

65 governor of the asylum, for the increase of the sailors' library
 66 in that institution, one thousand dollars.

67 For house-cleaning and whitewashing, eight hundred
 68 dollars.

69 For furnaces, grates, and ranges, seven hundred dollars.

70 For gas and water-rent, one thousand five hundred dollars.

71 For improvement of grounds, five hundred dollars.

72 For wharves and lots, eight hundred dollars.

73 For painting houses and walls, two thousand dollars.

74 For repairs of all kinds, three thousand dollars.

75 For improvement of cemetery, three thousand dollars.

76 For support of beneficiaries, fifty-two thousand dollars.

77 For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment
 78 at the several navy yards and stations under control of the
 79 Bureau of Yards and Docks and at the Naval Asylum, one
 80 hundred and fifty-eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-
 81 seven dollars: *Provided*, That the offices of civil engineer,
 82 master machinist, master carpenter, master joiner, master
 83 blacksmith, master boiler-maker, master sail-maker, master
 84 plumber, master painter, master caulker, master laborer, and
 85 naval storekeepers, be, and the same are hereby, established
 86 in connection with the navy yards at Kittery, Maine;
 87 Charlestown, Massachusetts; Brooklyn, New York; Phila-
 88 delphia, Pennsylvania; and Washington, District of Colum-
 89 bia; and that the persons selected to fill the several

90 offices hereby established shall be appointed by the Presi-
91 dent, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate,
92 and shall have the immediate supervision and direction of
93 the work to be performed in their several departments, with
94 authority to select and discharge such workmen as the
95 necessities of the service may require, subject always to the
96 approval of the commandant of the navy yard to which
97 they are attached.

98 For pay of some suitable person, appointed by the
99 Secretary of the Navy, to examine the archives of the de-
100 partment and other sources of information, and collect and
101 collate the facts which may illustrate the history of the
102 United States navy, fifteen hundred dollars.

103 BUREAU OF NAVIGATION.

104 For navigation apparatus and supplies, and for pur-
105 poses incidental to navigation, two hundred and eighty-five
106 thousand six hundred and twenty-six dollars.

107 For expenses of Naval Academy, viz: For pay of civil
108 officers, professors, watchmen, and others, contingent ex-
109 penses, improvements, and repairs, two hundred and eighty-
110 three thousand nine hundred and thirteen dollars.

111 For expenses of Naval Observatory, viz: Pay of as-
112 sistant astronomer, three aids, and clerk; for wages of in-
113 strument-maker, two watchmen, porter, and messenger; for
114 keeping grounds in order and repairs to buildings and

115 enclosures; for fuel, light, office furniture, and stationery,
116 and for freight, transportation, postage, and incidental ex-
117 penses, twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars.

118 For preparing for publication the American Nautical
119 Almanac, fifteen thousand dollars.

120 For payment of expenses of visitors to the Naval
121 Academy, two thousand dollars.

122 BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT AND RECRUITING.

123 For the payment of bounties to discharged seamen, five
124 hundred thousand dollars.

125 For expenses that may accrue for the following pur-
126 poses, namely: Expenses of recruiting, transportation of men,
127 printing and stationery, advertising in public newspapers,
128 postage on public letters, wharfage and demurrage, appre-
129 hension of deserters, assistance to vessels in distress, and so
130 forth, five hundred thousand dollars.

131 BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR.

132 For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment
133 at the several navy yards under this bureau, sixty-three
134 thousand dollars.

135 BUREAU OF STEAM ENGINEERING.

136 For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment
137 at the several navy yards under this bureau, twenty-four
138 thousand dollars.

139 BUREAU OF PROVISIONS AND CLOTHING.

140 For pay of the civil establishment at the several navy
141 yards and at the Naval Asylum, eighteen thousand one hun-
142 dred and fifty dollars.

143 BUREAU OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY.

144 For surgeons' necessities and appliances for the sick
145 and wounded of the navy, marine corps, and coast survey,
146 fifty thousand dollars.

147 For contingent expenses of the Bureau of Medicine and
148 Surgery, twenty-five thousand dollars.

149 For pay of the civil establishment, under the Bureau of
150 Medicine and Surgery, at the several naval hospitals and navy
151 yards, sixty thousand seven hundred and sixty-three dollars.

152 NAVAL HOSPITAL, BOSTON.

153 For repairs and improvements of all kinds, including
154 roads, buildings, fences, walls, farm, garden, painting, glaz-
155 ing, blacksmith's, plumber's, and mason's work, furniture,
156 and so forth, seven thousand two hundred dollars.

157 NAVAL HOSPITAL, NEW YORK.

158 For repairs and improvements of all kinds, including
159 the buildings, out-houses, walls, fences, cemetery, furniture,
160 and so forth, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

161 NAVAL HOSPITAL, PHILADELPHIA.

162 For furniture and general outfit of the establishment,
163 ten thousand dollars.

164 NAVAL HOSPITAL, WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF
165 COLUMBIA.

166 For repairs of building and appendages, fences, side-
167 walk, furniture, painting, glazing, and so forth, five thousand
168 dollars.

169 NAVAL HOSPITAL, NORFOLK.

170 For repairs of buildings, appendages, wharves, roads,
171 fences, painting, glazing, furniture, and so forth, seven thou-
172 sand five hundred dollars.

173 NAVAL HOSPITAL, MARE ISLAND, CALIFORNIA.

174 For building naval hospital and appendages, twenty
175 thousand dollars.

176 MARINE CORPS.

177 For pay of officers, non-commissioned officers, mu-
178 sicians, privates, clerks, messengers, steward and nurse, and
179 servants; for rations and clothing for officers' servants;
180 additional rations to officers for five years' service; for un-
181 drawn clothing, nine hundred and sixty-seven thousand dol-
182 lars and sixty-seven cents.

183 For provisions, one hundred and sixty-nine thousand
184 nine hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents.

185 For clothing, two hundred and ninety-two thou-
186 sand one hundred and eighty-six dollars and eighty-four
187 cents.

188 For fuel, thirty thousand one hundred and seventeen
189 dollars.

190 For military stores, viz: Pay of mechanics, repair of
191 arms, purchase of accoutrements, ordnance stores, flags,
192 drums, fifes, and other instruments, sixteen thousand dollars.

193 For transportation of officers, their servants, troops,
194 and expenses of recruiting, twenty-five thousand dollars.

195 For repairs of barracks, and rent of offices where there
196 are no public buildings, fifteen thousand dollars.

197 For contingencies, namely: Freight, ferriage, toll, cart-
198 age, wharfage; purchase and repair of boats; compensation
199 to judge advocates; per diem for attending courts-martial,
200 courts of inquiry, and for constant labor; house rent in lieu
201 of quarters; burial of deceased marines; printing, stationery,
202 postage, telegraphing; apprehension of deserters; oil, can-
203 dles, gas; repairs of gas and water fixtures; water rent;
204 forage, straw; barrack furniture; furniture for officers' quar-
205 ters; bed-sacks; wrapping-paper; oil-cloth, crash; rope,
206 twine; spades, shovels, axes, picks; carpenters' tools; keep
207 of a horse for the messenger; pay of matron, washerwoman,
208 and porter at the hospital headquarters; repairs to fire-
209 engine; purchase and repair of engine hose; purchase of
210 lumber for benches, mess-tables, and bunks; repairs to public
211 carryall; purchase and repair of harness; purchase and re-
212 pair of handcarts and wheelbarrows; scavengering; purchase

213 and repair of galleys, cooking-stoves, ranges; stoves where
214 there are no grates; gravel for parade grounds; repair of
215 pumps; furniture for staff and commanding officers' offices;
216 brushes, brooms, buckets; paving; and for other purposes,
217 eighty thousand dollars.

Passed the House of Representatives February 27, 1867.

Attest: EDWARD McPHERSON, *Clerk*.